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9TH NATIONAL CLEAN CITIES CONFERENCE & EXPOSITION

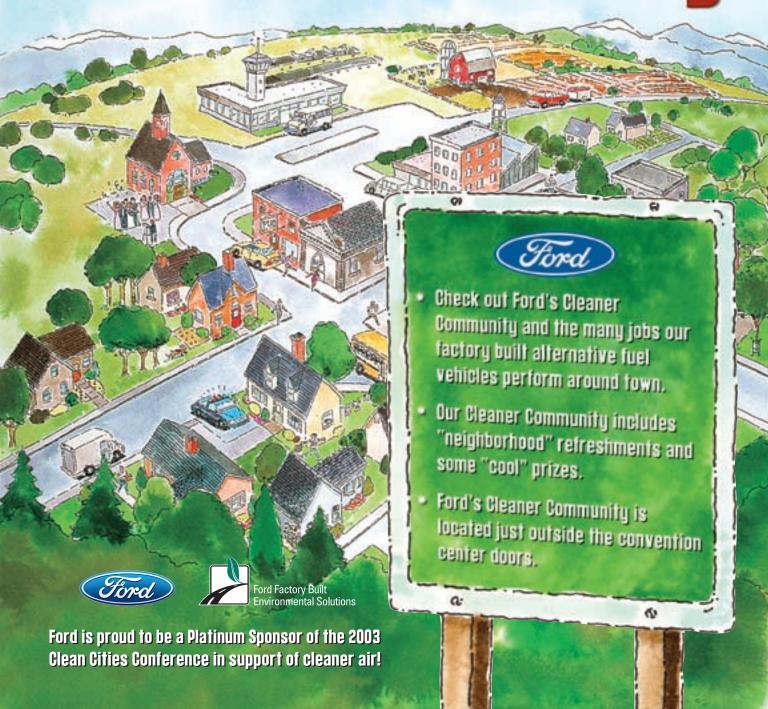


CONFERENCE PROGRAM



Hosted by the U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, and the Coachella Valley and Northwest Riverside County Coalitions





What Is Clean Cities?

Sponsored by the U.S. Department of Energy (U.S. DOE), the Clean Cities Program was created to advance the use of alternative fuel vehicles (AFVs) and build supporting infrastructure. By increasing the use of alternative fuels, the Clean Cities Program helps strengthen energy security and improve environmental quality at both the national and local levels.

The Clean Cities Program takes a unique, voluntary approach to AFV market development by working with coalitions of local stakeholders to cultivate the AFV industry and integrate local efforts and initiatives into larger planning processes. The Clean Cities Strategic Plan, "Charting the Course for AFV Market Development and Sustainable Clean Cities Coalitions," guides the way to achieving success.



Clean Cities staff, including representatives from U.S. DOE Headquarters, Regional Offices, and the National Renewable Energy Laboratory, welcome you to the 9th National Clean Cities Conference.

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Salute to Volunteers

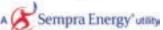
"Every problem that the country faces is being solved in some community by some group or some individual. The question is how to get connected, so that the whole nation can solve problems."

-President George W. Bush

Daily, in communities across America, volunteers work with Clean Cities coalitions to put more AFVs on the road. Clean Cities, along with Southern

Califonia Gas Company, salutes all of them, and particularly the volunteers from Palm Springs and Riverside who are giving their time to support the conference.
Thank you!





Walking the Talk

This year we're taking greater strides to walk the talk by planning a more environmentally responsible Clean Cities Conference. A few new "green" details include:

- Offered significant financial incentives for paperless, online registration.
- Used vegetable-based or soy ink and recycled paper in printed conference materials.
- Printed two-sided materials when feasible.
- Encouraged conference hotels to use environmental and energy-saving practices in guest room linens and towels.
- Contracted with two hotels within walking distance of the Convention Center.
- Requested bulk condiments instead of individually packaged.

- Worked with the Convention Center, the Wyndham Hotel, and Waste Management to provide recycling services.
- Requested that the conference food service provider keep polystyrene materials to a minimum and to use china and glassware when feasible.
- Worked with EV Rental to provide discounts to people who rent AFVs during the conference.
- Arranged to use AFVs for transportation to off-site events.
- Arranged for lights and air conditioning to be turned off in meeting rooms when they are not in use.

Dressed to the Nines at the 9th National Clean Cities Conference

But what does that mean? Etymologically speaking, the short answer is that no one knows. There's speculation that the British Army's 99th Regiment of Foot was so stellar that its fellow soldiers were trying to equal "the nines." The saying has also been connected to nine muses or the mystic number nine. For us, the celebration of a 9th National Clean Cities Conference suggests feeding you some conference morsels in groups of nine. Here goes....



Nine Not-to-Miss Activities at the 9th National Clean Cities Conference

- 1. Palapas of Araby Cove is a 14-acre garden that serves as the studios of world-class artists who specialize in sculpture, painting, woodwork, glass, and jewelry making. That is the site of General Motors' opening reception. Attendees can roam throughout the gardens, look at the artists' workshops, and purchase the artists' creations in the Palapas gift shop. Sunday evening, we'll enjoy entertainment, food, drink, and each other's company in this treasure of the desert.
- 2. Ice cream is a great antidote to "turning up the heat." Don't miss Propane Exceptional Energy's partnership with Schwan's. The companies will hand out free ice cream treats during a sponsored break on Monday. And don't miss the giveaway of a propane grill!
- 3. Dennis Weaver, the star of television's *Gunsmoke* and *McCloud*, is one of many celebrities committed to AFVs. Don't miss him in the Expo Hall, Tuesday at 4:45 p.m. He'll also be at the awards breakfast on Wednesday.
- 4. It is our pleasure to include a general session panel that features well-known national and international mayors. Salt Lake City's Mayor Rocky Anderson will join Palm Springs Mayor Will Kleindienst. Our international guests hail from Berlin, Germany, and India.
- 5. Making a splash is inevitable on Monday evening as Honda moves the party outside following its Expo Hall reception. Follow the crowds to the Wyndham Oasis Pool for music and merriment.
- 6. Speaking of parties, Ford's gala will spill out onto the streets of Palm Canyon Drive in the heart of Palm Springs. The trendy nightspot, Atlas, is the featured venue for the closing night of fun.
- 7. Thanks to the Natural Gas Vehicle Coalition, conference attendees who turn in their evaluations will receive a fetching item that will come in handy for next year's conference in Ft. Lauderdale, FL (giveaway not available until Tuesday afternoon).
- 8. Rise and shine for the Wednesday morning Breakfast of Stars, featuring our 2003 awards winners and a Marilyn Monroe look-alike.
- 9. What would Palm Springs be without golf? Participate in the Wednesday afternoon golf tournament, and your fees will support the Northwest Riverside and Coachella Valley Clean Cities Coalitions.

Nine Factoids about Palm Springs*

- 1. The Cahuilla band of Agua Caliente Indians inhabited Palm Springs for thousands of years and today owns half of the city, thanks to an 1877 federal grant.
- 2. The Coachella Valley is home to 28 of the country's wealthiest people included on the Forbes 400 list.
- 3. The average annual rainfall is seven inches.
- 4. On any given day during the winter, more than 100 nationally known figures can be seen around the desert.
- 5. Many U.S. presidents regularly retreated to Palm Springs. Gerald Ford has a home in the valley. Other presidents who were regulars include Eisenhower, Truman, Nixon, Bush (George H.W.), Kennedy, and Johnson.
- 6. There are 21 streets, including Jack Benny Road, Bing Crosby Drive, Groucho Marx Road, Frank Sinatra Drive, and Gene Autry Trail, named after celebrities who lived in the valley.
- 7. The average daily high temperature is 72 degrees in January and 110 degrees in July.
- 8. The city boasts 8,435 swimming pools.
- 9. Retired Mafioso: classified.

^{*} According to Palm Springs Babylon by Ray Mungo

National Clean Cities
Program Director
Shelley Launey and
Deputy Director
Marcy Rood
welcome you to the
9th National Clean
Cities Conference.





Dear Clean Cities Friends:

Welcome to Palm Springs and the 9th National Clean Cities Conference & Exposition. You have indeed arrived in the land of plenty. Plenty of sunshine, blue skies, shimmering desert mountains, golf courses, swimming pools, and a desert playground for those fortunate enough to be here.

It is my hope that the Coachella Valley's beauty and abundance of AFVs will inspire us as we identify the problems and possibilities in the alternative fuels industry. Never in our history have we had so much to gain by accelerating efforts to integrate alternative fuels to achieve near-term impacts on reducing the use of imported petroleum. Our challenges are clear. We must be more diligent than ever at growing light, medium-, and heavy-duty AFV fleet markets and in building the fueling infrastructure that compliments that growth.

You'll see a couple of new programmatic offerings this year. Our focus on growing markets is evident most notably on "Fleet Day," Tuesday, May 20. Resale is a critical part of building a successful market. That's why we are delighted to partner with the General Services Administration (GSA) in presenting the first AFV auction to ever occur at a Clean Cities Conference. We'll also look at additional timely topics, such as hydrogen, energy security, and international market growth.

The desert playground feel will be evident through celebrity sightings, poolside parties, and the air of celebration that is a trademark of the Clean Cities Conference. We salute Bert Kronmiller and Rosa Washington, representatives of the Coachella Valley and Northwest Riverside Coalitions, and the many other Californians who have worked tirelessly to welcome us to this desert AFV mecca. I encourage you all to share in the challenge and to "turn up the heat for alternative fuels."

Sincerely,

Shelley Launey, Director National Clean Cities Program U.S. Department of Energy

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Conference Agenda

All seminars and events will be held in the Expo Hall or Wyndham unless otherwise noted. Badges are required for admission to all conference activities.

Sunday, May 18

7:00 a.m.-7:45 a.m...... "Do you know the way to Danny Kaye?"

Walkers meet in the Wyndham lobby to join U.S. DOE's Ernie Oakes and other energetic people for a morning constitutional.

1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m...... AFV 101 Workshop: Presented by the National Alternative Fuels Training Consortium - Mojave Learning Center

AFV Professionals from the National Alternative Fuels Training Consortium (NAFTC) will provide an overview of the available alternative fuels and the vehicles that use them. Topics of discussion will include the refueling



and infrastructure options, hydrogen fuel and fuel cell vehicles, and other information.

Conference Attire

Resort casual is recommended.

Transportation to Off-site Events

Transportation will depart from the front of the Convention Center, located at 277 N. Avenida Caballeros. Follow the signs through the Wyndham that say "Clean Cities Off-site Transportation."

Registration Hours

Exposition Hours

Monday, May 19 9:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m. 3:30 p.m.–4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 20. 10:00 a.m.–7:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. (Open to the public)



Thanks to SCAQMD for the 9th National Clean Cities Conference tote bags.

1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. Off-site Tours

SunLine Tour

Sponsor of the Ride-n-Drive, SunLine Transit Agency will show firsthand how hydrogen



is generated from renewable solar power and reformed from natural gas. Guests will also be able to view the world's largest assortment of clean fuels available to the public as transportation fuels. SunLine and Clean Energy are recognized as the first FTA approved public/private partnership. Clean Energy owns and operates both CNG and LNG infrastructure and sells fuel to SunLine under a long-term fuel agreement.

Waste Management Tour

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Management and Clean Energy,
which started in 1997, was the
first large scale deployment of
natural gas refuse trucks. Today,



Waste Management operates more than 400 natural gas trucks throughout California.

Transportation:

1:00 p.m. Tours: Board at the Convention Center from 12:15 p.m.–12:30 p.m. for departure to either SunLine or Waste Management. Tour participants will return to the Convention Center at 3:15 p.m.

3:00 p.m. Tours: Board at the Convention Center from 2:00 p.m.–2:15 p.m. for departure to either SunLine or Waste Management. The Waste Management participants will return to the Convention Center at 4:30 p.m. SunLine participants will return at 5:00 p.m.

Please note: If you wish to participate in both tours, you must take the Waste Management tour at 1:00 p.m. and the SunLine tour at 3:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. Palapas Reception

Palapas of Araby Cove is a 14-acre garden turned unique, hands-on artists' village. The nooks of the grounds house the workshops of distinguished artists—some of whom will be on hand to provide demonstrations and allow quests to indulge in their creative sides. The gift shop, featuring the work of the artists, will be open.

Transportation:

Buses will begin loading in front of the Convention Center at 6:30 p.m. They will leave from 6:45 p.m.–7:15 p.m. Return buses will pick up attendees beginning at 9:30 p.m. The last one leaves Palapas at 10:00 p.m.

Monday, May 19

6:30 a.m.–7:15 a.m. "Do you know the way to Danny Kaye?"

Walkers and runners meet in the Wyndham lobby to join U.S. DOE's Ernie Oakes and Clean Energy's James Harger for a morning constitutional.

7:00 a.m.-8:00 a.m. Continental

Breakfast - Oasis

Pool Courtyard



8:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m. Opening General Session - California Grand Ballroom

Local Welcome: Mayor Kleindienst, Palm Springs

Allan Lloyd, California Air Resources Board (CARB)

Barry Wallerstein, South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD)

Andrew Littlefair, California Natural Gas Vehicle Coalition (CaNGVC) and Clean Energy

State of the Clean Cities Address: Shelley Launey, U.S. DOE



9:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.....Break - Oasis Exhibit Hall



10:00 a.m.–11:25 a.m. .. General Session Panel - California Grand Ballroom

AFV Forecast: Challenges and Opportunities for the Alternative Fuels Industry

Facilitator: Rich Piellisch, Fleets & Fuels

John Gaydash, General Motors

Susan Ghertner, H.E. Butt Grocery Company

Joe Jobe, National Biodiesel Board

Rich Kolodziei, Natural Gas Vehicle Coalition

Dan Sperling, University of California, Davis

11:25 a.m.–11:30 a.m. .. General Motors Clean Cities Rewards
Program Announcement

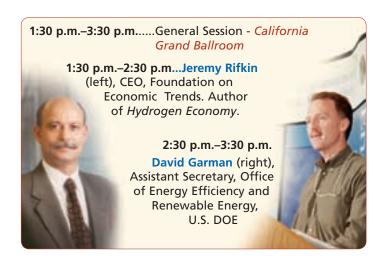
John Gaydash, Director of Marketing for General Motors Fleet and Commercial Operations

11:30 a.m.–Noon General Session -California Grand Ballroom

John Davis, Executive Producer and host of *MotorWeek*, Maryland Public Television.



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3:30 p.m.-4:00 p.m...... Hot and Cold Break - Oasis Exhibit Hall

There's not much we can do about the temperature outside, but with the support of Schwan's and Propane



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Jeremy Rifkin will autograph copies of *The Hydrogen Economy* in the Oasis Exhibit Hall from 3:30 p.m.– 4:00 p.m.

4:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m...... Concurrent Sessions

1) The Pathway to Hydrogen: Passing through Clean Cities? - Mesquite B & C

What is the status of the hydrogen infrastructure and fuel cell vehicles? What's been learned from early projects? And what are the possible intersections between the Clean Cities Program and the hydrogen future? This panel features a variety of experts familiar with this developing technology and possible opportunities.

Facilitator: Tom Gross, U.S. DOE

Ben Knight, American Honda

Venki Raman, Air Products

Bill Reinert, Toyota

Cynthia Verdugo-Peralta, SCAQMD Governing Board

2) Marketing Ethanol - Mojave Learning Center

Ethanol is increasingly considered a viable fuel to help agencies and the general public decrease their petroleum consumption. Great strides are also being made in marketing the fuel and promoting dealer and consumer awareness. Those efforts will be highlighted in this session, which will include a look at ethanol pricing issues.

Facilitator: John Davis, MotorWeek

Tim Gerlach, Twin Cities Clean Cities

Mike Jones, General Motors

Phil Lampert, National Ethanol Vehicle Coalition (NEVC)

3) International AFV Market - San Jacinto

Hear the latest from key international decision makers on their countries' efforts to use AFVs, learn about



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recent Clean Cities International activities abroad, successes, and lessons learned. For those interested in selling products abroad, this session is a must.

Facilitator: Marcy Rood, U.S. DOE

Maria Alfayate, European Union, CIVITAS

Nurudeen Bale, GASLINK Nigeria, Lagos

Javier Garcia Herrera, Asociacion Mexicana de Gas Natural A.C., Mexico City, Mexico

Dante LaGatta, Aguaytia Energy of Peru

Pearl Kamdar, Minda Impco Technologies, India

Juanito Victor C. Remulla Jr., Vice Governor, Cavite, Philippines

Siddique Zobair, Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh



For more on the overseas AFV market, attend the International Track seminars scheduled for Tuesday, May 20 (marked with red diamonds).

4) Alternative Fuels as a Path to Emergency Preparedness - Mesquite A

The necessity of reducing U.S. dependence on petroleum has galvanized the attention of officials from local communities to the highest levels of the federal government. As a result, awareness of the role alternative fuels can play is growing. Our panelists bring together a range of perspectives on alternative fuels as an emegency preparedness tool.

Facilitator: Jill Egbert, Sacramento Clean Cities Carlos Gonzalez, Gold Coast Clean Cities Bob Kistner, Energy Planning Consultant

John Thornton, National Renewable Energy Laboratory
(NREL)

6:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m...... American Honda: Puttin' on the Heat for Alternative Fuels - Oasis Exhibit Hall

From celebrity impersonators to delicious food and drink, Honda will once again present a great reception where you can network, view exhibits, and have a good time. *MotorWeek* producer John Davis will be available at the Clean Cities booth throughout the evening.



Don't miss the shaking, rattling and rolling on Monday night.



8:00 p.m. Ah Vun, Ah Two - Oasis Pool Courtyard

OK, two celebrations are better than one. Following Honda's reception in the Oasis Exhibit Hall, you're invited to move



outside to the Oasis pool and courtyard to experience the desert playground poolside. Music, dancing, and more refreshments will usher in the night.

Tuesday, May 20 - "Fleet Day"

Welcome to Fleet Day, which features programming that caters to the issues and decisions relevant to fleet personnel. Spend the day talking with experts in your niche market, test driving (and possibly buying) AFVs at the GSA auction, attending workshops, and strolling the Expo Hall to watch demonstrations, and gathering the information you need to furnish your business, fleet, or community with AFV technologies.



6:30 a.m.–7:15 a.m. "Do you know the way to Danny Kaye?"

Walkers and runners meet in the Wyndham lobby.

7:00 a.m.-8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast -Oasis Pool Courtyard



8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. Niche Market Workshops

1) Airports - Mojave Learning Center

Facilitator: Tom King, Edwards and Kelcey

Mark Childers, Austin-Bergstrom International Airport

Greg Failey, General Mitchell International Airport

Ryan Gibson, Aerovironment

Claudio Ternieden, American Association of Airport Executives

Danny Withers, Salt Lake City International Airport

2) Municipal - Madera

Facilitator: Rick Ruvolo, San Francisco Clean Cities

Clark Aganon, Fleet Management, San Francisco

Dana Albers, Fleet Manager, Hennepin County, Minnesota

Jim Johnson, City and County Fleet Superintendent, San Francisco

Judy Wong, Supervising Purchaser, San Francisco



3) Freight and Delivery - Pasadena

Facilitator: Henry Hogo, SCAQMD

Ruthanne Taylor Berger, Wester Riverside Council of

Governments (WRCOG) Clean Cities

Norm Berry, Danone Waters of North America

Mike Britt, United Parcel Service

Steve Ginter, Mack Truck

Cliff Gladstein, Gladstein and Associates

Bob Kidder, Sysco

Rich Kolodziej, NGVC

Dave Lynch, Cummins Westport

Dean Saito, SCAQMD

Peter Ward, California Energy Commission (CEC)

4) Transit - Catalina

Facilitator: Richard Cromwell III, SunLine Transit Agency

John Bradley, Auto-Motivation Inc.

Mitch Pratt, Clean Energy

Don Monroe, Pierce Transit

Ed Zuercher, Phoenix Public Transit

5) Refuse Haulers - Pueblo

Facilitator: James Harger, Clean Energy

Juliette Burdelski, INFORM

Dennis Hill, City of Long Beach

Kermit Martin, Waste Management, Palm Desert

Rick Wade, Palm Springs Disposal Service

Charles Woolever, City of San Diego, CA

6) Parks - Chino

Facilitator: Ernie Oakes, U.S. DOE

Dan Bell, City of Breckenridge, CO

Kent Bullard, Channel Islands National Park

Jim Evanoff, Yellowstone National Park

Ted Hillmer, Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area

7) Schools - Ventura

Facilitator: Bill Luke, Alternative Fuels Consultant

Ken McCoy, Antelope Valley Unified School District

Skip Miller, ProCon Alternative Fuel Advisor

Bob Larsen, Argonne National Laboratory

Jim O'Connell, A-Z Bus Sales

Dennis Smith, U.S. DOE







◆ 8:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m... Tools for the International AFV
Advocate: Estimating the Greenhouse
Gas Benefits of Propane and Natural
Gas Vehicles - Sierra

AFVs have the potential to reduce greenhouse gases (GHGs). AFV project developers and fleet owners are able to quantify GHG emission reductions for potential sale or for filing with voluntary reporting programs. This panel will present tools developed by the government and private sector to help GHG emission project developers quantify and document GHG emission reductions from AFV projects.

Facilitator: Ira H. Dorfman, eMobility International, LLC
Nicole Davis, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
International Vehicle Emissions Model

Julie Doherty, Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC)

James Ekmann, National Energy Technology Laboratory

• 9:00 a.m.–10:00 a.m. The Roles of U.S. Agencies in Building AFV Markets Abroad - Sierra

Clean Cities International is committed to helping interested countries develop their AFV markets and U.S. companies develop an international market. The experts on this panel will provide practical advice on ways to take full advantage of current programs and resources, and provide information that will help you build a strong, viable market in your country.

Facilitator: Ira H. Dorfman, eMobility International, LLC
 Mark Dunn, U.S. Trade and Development Agency
 David Josephson, Export-Import Bank of the United States
 Cynthia Lowry, PhD, Oak Ridge National Laboratory
 Cynthia Torres, U.S. Commercial Service, U.S. Department of Commerce

Gary Ward, U.S. DOE

10:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m. .. Break - Oasis Exhibit Hall



10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Ride-n-Drive - West Lawn of the Convention Center

In addition to a chance to test drive the newest products available, SunLine is pleased to display a variety of heavy-duty AFVs used in the Coachella Valley. Among them will be a new street sweeper, a Hythane® bus, the Palm Springs International Film Festival bus, a SunLink tractor trailer, and the Ballard ZEbus. The vehicles will be staged on the west lawn behind the

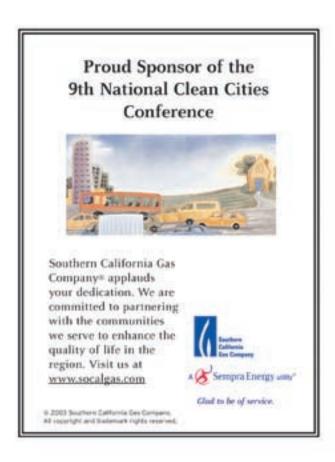
the west lawn behind the Convention Center and off of Alvarado Street.











♦ 10:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m. The CIVITAS Initiative: Europe's Integrated Approach Towards Clean Urban Transportation - *Madera*

CIVITAS was launched by the European Commission in 2000 and supports cities that introduce and test innovative technologies to improve urban transport. Learn about how the CIVITAS Initiative is bringing together Europe's most advanced clean cities, the role of alternative fuels and clean vehicles in the CIVITAS Initiative, linking fuels and vehicles with transport demand management tools, and the joint procurement of clean AFVs by European cities.

Facilitators: John Millhone, Office of Weatherization & Intergovernmental Program, U.S. DOE

Introductory Remarks by Maria Krautzberger, Permanent Secretary, Senate Department of Urban Development, Berlin, Germany

María Alfayate, European Commission, Brussels, Belgium Philippe Bègue, City of Nantes, France Francesco Bellini, City of Rome, Italy Friedemann Kunst, City of Berlin, Germany Gustaf Landahl, City of Stockholm, Sweden





(Sessions Marked by Green Circle)



- 10:30 a.m.-11:15 a.m. (Repeated from 11:15 a.m.-Noon)
 - 1) Hydrogen and Clean Cities Chino

Presenter: Christy Cooper, U.S. DOE

Learn about U.S. DOE's Hydrogen, Fuel Cells, & Infrastructure Technologies (HFC&IT) Program and its new education activities and hear from coordinators who have already incorporated hydrogen and fuel cells into their coalition portfolios. The session will conclude with discussion of ways in which U.S. DOE's HFC&IT Program can help interested Clean Cities coalitions pursue hydrogen and fuel cell activities—without compromising their ongoing market development efforts.

2) EPA Conversions - Ventura

Conversions remain a vital topic, and there are many companies aggressively pursuing distributors for aftermarket conversion kits. This session provides an interpretation of EPA's policy, as well as an introduction to some of the players in the conversion market.

Facilitator: Dennis Smith, U.S. DOE

Nick Pfeiffer, Technocarb

Rebecca Royer, BayTech

Sherri Vanhooser, DRV Energy

3) Marketing to Fleets - Pueblo

Presenters: Tricia Landrum, General Motors Kevin Campbell, Clean Air Partners

The government and commercial fleet purchasing process can be complicated. This session will dive deep into the commercial vehicle market and will include an explanation of the "bid process" and tips on how to sell to the customers that are critical to the AFV business.

4) Alternative Fuels Educational Curriculum - Catalina

Presenter: Juline Gurasich, Railroad Commission of Texas Alternative Energy is the second edition of the Railroad Commission of Texas' curriculum supplement for secondary-school science students. Like its predecessor, Alternative Transportation Fuels (1996), the supplement introduces scientific principles of energy and fuels, then proceeds to investigate specific topics. An introduction to the curriculum, as well as suggestions on how to use it, will be part of this session for coordinators.

● 10:30 a.m.-Noon

- 5) Car Talks for Coordinators Palm D & E
 - A. New Coordinators

 Wendy Dafoe, NREL

 Nan Miller, Dallas/Ft. Worth Clean Cities
 - B. Turnkey Refueling
 Curtis Donaldson, Clean Fueling Technologies
 - C. Program Plan Development Barb Wolfe, U.S. DOE
 - D. It All Adds Up to Cleaner Air

 Michael Savonis, Federal Highway Administration
 (FHWA)
 - E. GSA Resale Partnering Ernest Ayers, GSA

11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Box Lunches - Oasis Exhibit Hall 1:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m. Concurrent Sessions

1) Legislation and Incentives to Put AFVs on the Road - Madera

The Energy Policy Act of 1992 (EPAct), the CLEAR Act, and a number of new initiatives before Congress have AFV enthusiasts hopeful for legislative successes that will result in stronger AFV sales. Experts will discuss everything from the nuances of EPAct and the CLEAR Act to new, unfolding AFV legislation in Congress.

Facilitator: Brian Feehan, Propane Vehicle Council

Linda Bluestein, U.S. DOE Shab Fardanesh, U.S. DOE Henry Hogo, SCAQMD Paul Kerkhoven, NGVC Michael Savonis, FHWA

2) California Mandates and Incentives - Catalina

California's air quality mandates have made the state a leader in AFV usage. Experts in this session focus on California regulations that can be satisfied through the purchase and use of AFVs.

Facilitator: Peter Ward, California Energy Commission Jack Kitowski, CARB

Dean Saito, SCAQMD

3) Mini Course on Developing an AFV Program (continued at 3:00 p.m.) - Mojave Learning Center

This three-hour mini course gives fleet managers an overview of the issues to be considered in the development of an AFV program. The course looks at vehicle needs and availability, fueling infrastructure, funding, and site construction sourcing.

John Hamon, AFV Institute, Thomason and Associates
Leo Thomason, AFV Institute, Thomason and Associates



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4) Heavy-duty Emissions Standards for 2007 and Beyond - Pasadena

New EPA standards require engine manufacturers to produce diesel engines for heavy-duty trucks and buses that produce less particle pollution by 2007. Which clean fuels will emerge as significant in cleaning up heavy-duty vehicles? Which fuels are viable and can be brought into the mass market within the next five years?

Facilitator: John Boesel, Westart-CALSTART

Joe Jobe, National Biodiesel Board

Patrick Ouellette, Cummins Westport

Karl Simon, EPA

Mike Simon, ISE Research

Bruce Wood, John Deere ePower Technologies

2:30 p.m.-3:00 p.m...... Break -Oasis Exhibit Hall



3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m...... Concurrent Sessions

1) Light-duty Product Rollout - Madera

Movers and shakers in the production and sale of lightduty AFVs will be on hand to discuss what new vehicles will be available in the coming year. This is an opportunity to learn about vehicle availability, procurement methods, and anything new in vehicle acquisitions.

Facilitator: Mike Scarpino, U.S. DOE

Steve Ellis, American Honda

Dave Henry, Ford Motor Company

Mike Jones, General Motors

Ed LaRocque, Toyota

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2) Medium- and Heavy-duty Product Rollout - Catalina Acquisition of medium- and heavy-duty vehicles requires a field of players that include original equipment manufacturers (OEMs) as well as those who build components. OEM representatives and heavy-duty industry people will be on hand to explain both the purchasing process and what's available.

Facilitator: Richard Parish, NREL

Alex Bell, Bell Power Systems

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3) Mini Course on Developing an AFV Program (continued from 1:00 p.m.) - Mojave Learning Center

This three-hour mini course gives fleet managers an overview of the issues to be considered in the development of an AFV program. The course looks at vehicle needs and availability, fueling infrastructure, funding, and site construction sourcing.

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4) Using AFVs to Reduce Local and Global Emissions - Pasadena

This session focuses on the air pollution benefits and funding opportunities for AFVs. Attendees will gain an understanding of promoting AFVs through federal, state, and local air quality and climate change programs.

Facilitator: Ron Benioff, NREL

Ellen Drew, STEPP

Buddy Polovick, EPA

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Chris Saricks, Argonne National Laboratory

Michael Savonis, FHWA

5) AFV Maintenance and Safety Training - Mesquite A
AFV drivers will become knowledgeable in the following areas: system components and location of CNG vehicles, vehicle operation on various alternative fuels, filling procedures, and safety precautions.

Presenters: Jeff Herndon, National Center for Employee Development, U.S. Postal Service (USPS)

> Aziz Taghizadeh, National Center for Employee Development, USPS

4:45 p.m.–5:30 p.m...... AFV Sale and Raffle Event - Oasis Exhibit Hall

Rich Kolodziej of the NGVC hosts this lively session that begins with a bonafide GSA auction of 25 AFVs. You will be introduced to the fundamentals of buying at an auction. Even if you aren't ready to purchase today, watch-



ing how it works will prepare you for future auctions. And, if you are ready to purchase, you can start your bid at wholesale, and drive away with an AFV bargain!



Following the auction, star of television and film, Dennis Weaver will hold a raffle for a hybrid Prius, donated by Toyota.

7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Reception - Atlas

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7:00 a.m.–7:45 a.m. "Do you know the way to Danny Kaye?"

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8:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m. Breakfast of Stars - California Grand Ballroom

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10:30 a.m.–Noon Closing General Session - California

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Noon-12:30 p.m. Final Wrap-Up and Giveaways - California Grand Ballroom

Throughout the four days, the inimitable videographer Bob Melnyk has captured the essence of Clean Cities Conference attendees. We'll also give away items our sponsors and exhibitors have donated, including a grand prize trip for two to Ft. Lauderdale. (Must be present to win!)

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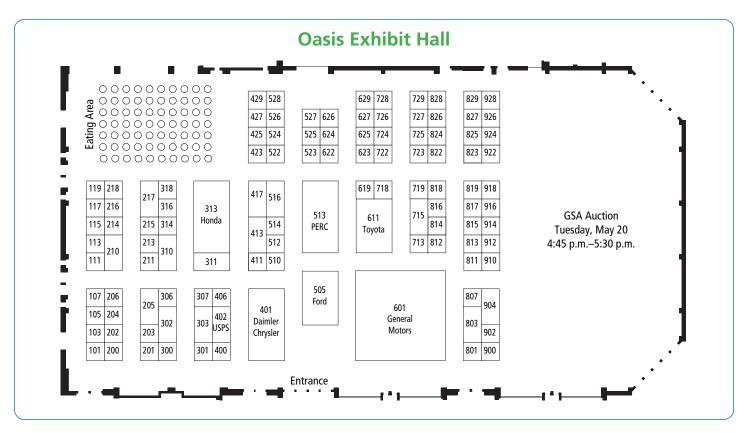
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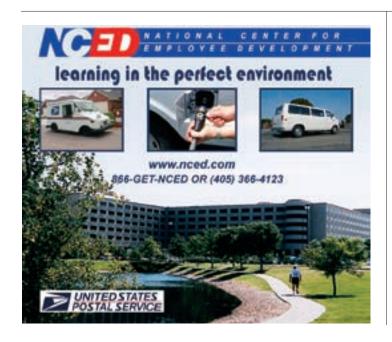
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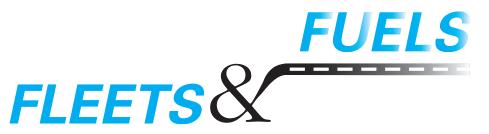
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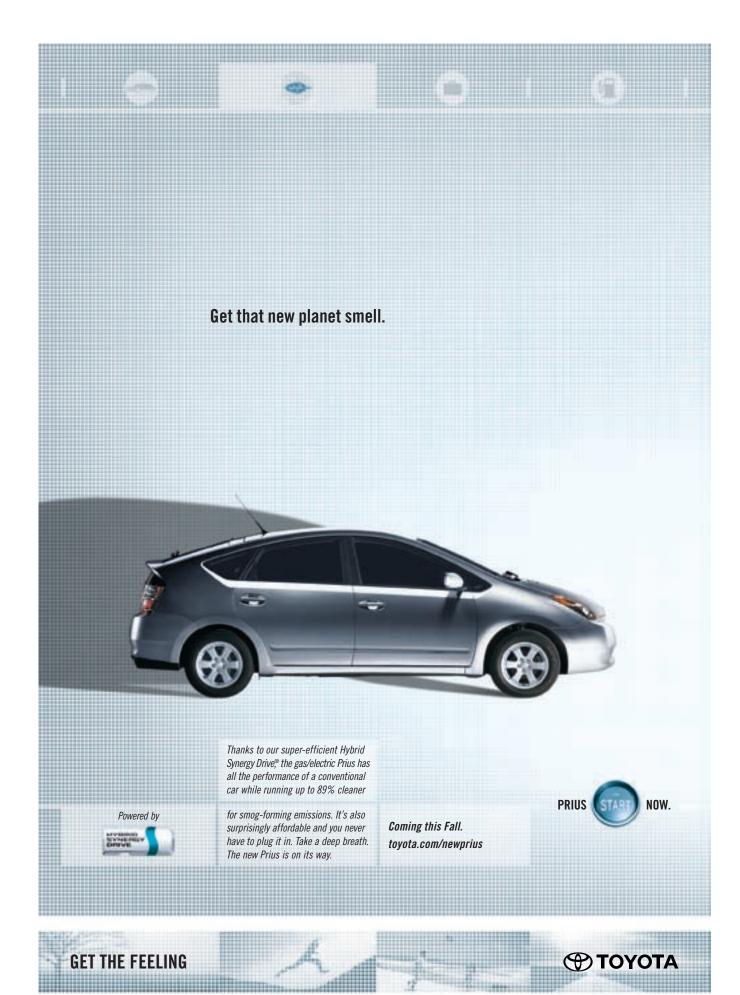
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